

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend paragraph [0026] as shown below:

[0026] Consequently, other transmission networks must be considered to handle overflow traffic, *i.e.*, traffic that the wireless data network cannot handle. Two such transmission networks are satellite networks and cellular telephone networks. Cellular module 250 is used to transmit data over a cellular telephone network. Satellite modem 230 is used to transmit vehicle data over a satellite network. Generally, satellite networks are very expensive. Consequently, satellite networks are generally considered a last resort for transmission of vehicle status data in a fleet management system. However, satellite networks can provide nearly universal coverage. For example, a satellite network might be used in an emergency situation to transmit vehicle data that is emergency in nature, especially in cases where ~~there~~ coverage is not provided by either a wireless data network or a cellular telephone network. Cellular telephone networks, while more expensive to use than wireless data networks, offer a viable alternative to wireless data networks to regularly handle overflow traffic. The costs can be reduced using storage and batch transmission of vehicle data over cellular telephone networks as described below.